--- “Series of 1880” - 1/20th pound - RED - 3rd BABN Contract (1878-1886) ---

In spite of their Lee Brandom designation, **Type I** was the first to be lithographed, **Type III** was the second to be lithographed, and **Type II** was lithographed last - all of these under the **3rd BABN Contract** (1878-1886).

Type I - the first printing - Type I red stamps occur only in 1/20th pound denomination, and only come in Division “Specific” format.

RC-2 - 1/20th pound, “Montreal” Division, red, control **014181**, perforated 12,
lithographed on *unwatermarked horizontal* mesh wove paper,
stamped **18 - 83** by Licensee # ***3***, in March 1883

Type II - the third printing - Type II red stamps occur only in Division “Open” format, and come in 1/10th and 1/20th pound denominations.

RC-35 CP - 1/10th pound, Division “Open” - [**A 24**], red, control **002004**, perforated 12,
lithographed on *block watermarked* vertical mesh wove paper, stamped **CANCELLED** in 3 mm. Gothic letters - suspect

RC-33 - 1/20th pound, Division “Open” - [**A 25**], red, control **084087-88**, perforated 12,
lithographed on *block watermarked* horizontal mesh wove paper

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Type III - the second printing - Type III red stamps occur only in 1/20th pound denominations, and come in Division “Open” and Division “Specific” formats.

RC-31 - 1/20th pound, Division “Open”, [**A 26**], perforated 12, control # **006647**,
on *vertical* mesh *block watermarked* wove paper

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--- "Series of 1880" - 1/10th Pound - control numbered RED strips (to date) ---

John McKay records that 5,000 *lithographed* "1-10th, Red, Cigarettes" were 'delivered' under the **3rd BABN Contract** (1878-1886). These are the Type II 1/10th pound red Division "Open" strips. There were no 1/10th pound red Division "Specific" strips.

1/10th pound, **Type II**, red, "Open" Division	**002156** - highest to date [out of 5,000 delivered]

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--- "Series of 1880" - 1/20th Pound - control numbered RED strips (to date) ---

John McKay records that 300,000 *lithographed* "1-20 Red Ribbon Cigarettes" were 'delivered' under the **3rd BABN Contract** (1878-1886). Apparently he has grouped the 1/20th pound Type I and Type II strips.

1/20th pound, Type I, red, "Hamilton" Division	**015180** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type I, red, "Montreal" Division	**019194** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type I, red, "Toronto" Division	**000220** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type I, red, "Windsor" Division	**009433** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type II, red, "Open" Division	**084140** - highest to date
Total	128,177 [out of 300,000 delivered]

John McKay records that 289,000 *lithographed* "Not more than 1-20th, Red, Cigarettes" were 'delivered' under the **3rd BABN Contract** (1878-1886). Apparently he has grouped the 1/20th pound Type III strips.

1/20th pound, Type III, red "Open" Division	**036076** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type III, red, "Hamilton" Division	**012052** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type III, red, "Montreal" Division	**030098** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type III, red, "Toronto" Division	**000143** - highest to date
1/20th pound, Type III, red, "Windsor" Division	**100390** - highest to date
Total	178,759 [out of 289,000 delivered]

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